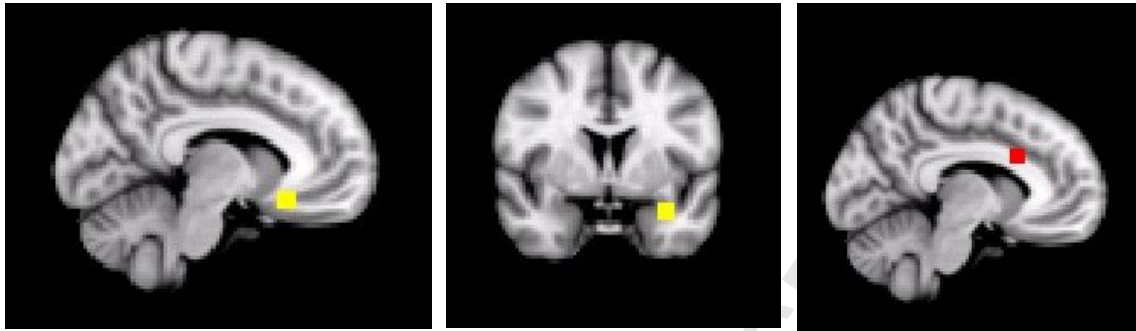


Supplement 1: Seed and target regions of interest (ROIs) for probabilistic tractography analysis.



Note: ROIs were created in MNI space and then registered to each individual's DTI data. Left: Subgenual Anterior Cingulate Cortex (ACC) seed; middle: amygdala seed; right: supragenual ACC seed.

DTI, Diffusion Tensor Imaging; MNI, Montreal Neuroimaging Institute.

Supplement 2: Statistical Result* comparison of fractional anisotropy within white matter tracts yielded by probabilistic tractography.

| WM Tract (seed/target) | Hemisphere | FA values: Mean (Standard Deviation) (depressed / healthy) | F, P values* | Effect Size (Cohen's d) | N (depressed / healthy) |
|--|------------|---|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Subgenual ACC / amygdala | Right | 0.314 (.035) / 0.343 (.021) | 7.052, 0.013 | 1.0 | 14/13 |
| Subgenual ACC/ amygdala | Left | 0.329 (.022) / 0.344 (.028) | 1.537, 0.227 | 0.59 | 14/14 |
| Subgenual ACC / supragenual ACC | Right | 0.367 (.045) / 0.366 (.042) | 0.239, 0.635 | -0.03 | 5/9 |
| Subgenual ACC / supragenual ACC | Left | 0.369 (.036) / 0.391 (.032) | 0.573, 0.458 | 0.63 | 10/13 |

Note: *Univariate ANCOVA tests were conducted to compare mean FA values between groups for each tract, correcting for group differences in IQ.

ACC, Anterior Cingulate Cortex; FA, Fractional Anisotropy; WM, White matter.